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1. Czechoslovak Machine Gun, type 47

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a. The machine gun consists of 7 parts:

Barrel-extension group.

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Casing unit.

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Casing-cover unit.

Locking mechanism (Firing mechanism)

Trigger assembly group.

Bolt and recoil unit.

Tripod.

b. The machine gun is dismantled in the following manner:

- 1) Remove the barrel.
- 2) Take off the casing cover.
- 3) Take out the recoil spiral and the bolt.
- 4) Take out the accelerator.
- 5) Disengage the recoil spring.
- 6) Disengage the lock.
- 7) Take out the firing mechanism.
- 8) Disengage the bolt lever.
- 9) Separate the trigger-assembly group.

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c. The machine gun is air-cooled, and has 7.92 mm bore. It is loaded by means of a feeding belt containing 200 rounds. The bullet has an iron core.

d. Weight: Complete machine gun 33 kg.
Without tripod 18.5 kg.
Tripod alone 14.5 kg.

e. Speed and range:

- 1) Firing speed: Normal
Increased

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3) Maximum range: 2000 meters.

4) Effective range: 1200 meters.

2. Rifle, type 47 "CZ"

This is used only by the Workers' Militia. The magazine, like that in the U.S. rifle, is fed from below, otherwise it is built on the German model.

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